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Dear Judge Crotty,

I, along with Kenneth Smith, of the law firm The Law Offices of Kenneth F. Smith, PLLC, represent defendant Joshua Schulte in the above-captioned matter. I wish to respectfully inform Your Honor that subject to the Court's approval, I intend to withdraw as co-counsel of record on behalf of Joshua Schulte. I do so with the consent and approval of my client. Mr. Smith will remain as counsel of record.

Thank you for your courtesy in this and all other matters.

Very truly yours

/s/
Alex Spiro

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